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## REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the original inventorship be amended so as to add Michael Huempel and Johannes W. Tack.

In addition to this request, attached are the following:

- (l) Statements by the previously omitted inventors, Michael Huempel and Johannes W. Tack, indicating that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention.
- (2) A Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney executed by all of the actual inventors.
- (3) Authorization is hereby given to charge the processing fee of \$130.00 set forth in \$1.17(i) to Applicants' representative's Deposit Account No. 13-3402. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment also to Deposit Account No. 13-3402; and
  - (4) A statement by the Assignee agreeing to the inventorship change; and
- (5) A copy of an Assignment from the newly added inventors to the Assignee, which will be separately recorded.

If there are any informalities regarding this request, it is courteously requested that Counsel be telephoned so as to expeditiously resolve any unforeseen issues.

Respectfully submitted,

Anthony Zelano (Reg. No. 27,969) John A. Sopp (Reg. No. 33,103)

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# STATEMENT BY MICHAEL HUEMPEL FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I declare that the error in inventorship in the above noted application occurred without deceptive intent on my behalf.

Michael Huempel

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## 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)

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Sir:

The undersigned officials of Schering Aktiensgesellschaft, having authority to sign this statement on behalf of assignee, agree to the change in inventorship in the above-identified application on behalf of assignee whereby Michael Huempel, and Johannes W. Tack, are added as inventors.

Name: Ot Walter Klose Date:

Title: Procurator Doc. 18, 2003

Title: Patent Professional Dec. 18, 2003

#### ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS the below named inventor (if only one inventor is named below) or inventors (if plural inventors are named below) hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNOR invented a certain improvement relating to

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for which an application for I	Letters Patent to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office was executed on even date.				
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for which an International Application was filed on		as	, designating the United States.		
AND WHEREAS	Schering Aktiengesells Berlin, Germany	chaft			

hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof.

NOW, WITNESSETH that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby assigns, sells, and transfers to ASSIGNEE, its assigns and legal representatives, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, and in and to any and all priority and/or convention rights or benefits accruing or to accrue with respect to the filing or securing of patents in the United States and/or any countries foreign thereto, SAID ASSIGNEE, its assigns and legal representatives to have, hold, exercise, and enjoy said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges and advantages in anywise arising from or appertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such Letters Patent when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, for the use and benefit of ASSIGNEE and its assigns and legal representatives, in as ample and beneficial a manner to all intents and purposes as the ASSIGNOR might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if the assignment had not been made.

held and enjoyed the same, if the assignment had not been made.

AND ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute all papers that may be necessary to file applications in the United States and foreign countries for said invention and to assign the same to said ASSIGNEE, its assigns and legal representatives and to execute any other papers that may be needed in connection with filing said applications and securing Letters Patents thereon.

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AND ASSIGNOR authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue a Letters Patent on said application, and on

any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to ASSIGNEE, its assigns and legal representatives, in accordance herewith.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the law firm of Millen, White, Zelano & Branigan, P.C. the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF this assignment is executed by ASSIGNOR.

201	FULL NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	INVENTOR'S SIGNATURE	DATE
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	Michael Huempel	de heard to cool	12/18/03
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	Johannes W. Tack	Telianes Tark	12/18/03
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